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| n re Patent Application of                                      | ) MAIL STOP AMENDMENT                                    |
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| Elizabeth Colbert et al.  | Group Art Unit: 3635                                     |
| Application No.: 10/824,193                                     | Examiner: ELIZABETH A PLUMMER  Confirmation No.: 5895  ) |
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| For: A SYSTEM USING A DRYWALL<br>BOARD AND JOINTING<br>COMPOUND |  |

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In complete response to the final Official Action dated November 26, 2007, Applicants submit herewith a petition for one-month extension of time extending the period of response from February 26, 2008 to March 26, 2008, and the following Amendment and Response.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this Response.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this Response.